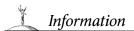
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Look for the Agency Notice

Review (inspect) notices published in the *Arizona Administrative Register*. Many agencies maintain stakeholder lists and would be glad to inform you when they proposed changes to rules. Check an agency's website and its newsletters for news about notices and meetings.

Feel like a change should be made to a rule and an agency has not proposed changes? You can petition an agency to make, amend, or repeal a rule. The agency must respond to the petition. (See A.R.S. § 41-1033)

Attend a public hearing/meeting

Attend a public meeting that is being conducted by the agency on a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. Public meetings may be listed in the Preamble of a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking or they may be published separately in the *Register*. Be prepared to speak, attend the meeting, and make an oral comment.

An agency may not have a public meeting scheduled on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. If not, you may request that the agency schedule a proceeding. This request must be put in writing within 30 days after the published Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

Write the agency

Put your comments in writing to the agency. In order for the agency to consider your comments, the agency must receive them by the close of record. The comment must be received within the 30-day comment timeframe following the *Register* publication of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

You can also submit to the Governor's Regulatory Review Council written comments that are relevant to the Council's power to review a given rule (A.R.S. § 41-1052). The Council reviews the rule at the end of the rulemaking process and before the rules are filed with the Secretary of State.

Arizona Regular Rulemaking Process

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A final rulemaking package is submitted to G.R.R.C. or A.G. for review. Contains fina preamble, rules, and Economic Impact Statement.

G.R.R.C. has 90 days to review and approve or return the rule package, in whole or in part;
A.G. has 60 days.

After approval by G.R.R.C. or A.G., the rule becomes effective 60 days after filing with the Secretary of State (unless otherwise indicated).

Final rule is published in the Register and the quarterly Code Supplement.



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Administrative Procedure Act (APA): A.R.S. Title 41, Chapter 6, Articles 1 through 10. Available online at www.azleg.gov.

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Chapter: A division in the codification of the *Code* designating a state agency or, for a large agency, a major program.

Close of Record: The close of the public record for a proposed rulemaking is the date an agency chooses as the last date it will accept public comments, either written or oral.

Code of Federal Regulations (CFR): The *Code of Federal Regulations* is a codification of the general and permanent rules published in the *Federal Register* by the executive departments and agencies of the federal government.

Docket: A public file for each rulemaking containing materials related to the proceedings of that rulemaking. The docket file is established and maintained by an agency from the time it begins to consider making a rule until the rulemaking is finished. The agency provides public notice of the docket by filing a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening with the Office for publication in the *Register*.

Economic, Small Business, and Consumer Impact Statement (EIS): The EIS identifies the impact of the rule on private and public employment, on small businesses, and on consumers. It includes an analysis of the probable costs and benefits of the rule. An agency includes a brief summary of the EIS in its preamble. The EIS is not published in the *Register* but is available from the agency promulgating the rule. The EIS is also filed with the rulemaking package.

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United States Code (U.S.C.): The Code is a consolidation and codification by subject matter of the general and permanent laws of the United States. The Code does not include regulations issued by executive branch agencies, decisions of the federal courts, treaties, or laws enacted by state or local governments.

Acronyms

A.A.C. - Arizona Administrative Code

A.A.R. – Arizona Administrative Register

APA – Administrative Procedure Act

A.R.S. - Arizona Revised Statutes

CFR – Code of Federal Regulations

EIS – Economic, Small Business, and Consumer Impact Statement

FR - Federal Register

G.R.R.C. – Governor's Regulatory Review Council

U.S.C. - United States Code

About Preambles

The Preamble is the part of a rulemaking package that contains information about the rulemaking and provides agency justification and regulatory intent.

It includes reference to the specific statutes authorizing the agency to make the rule, an explanation of the rule, reasons for proposing the rule, and the preliminary Economic Impact Statement.

The information in the Preamble differs between rulemaking notices used and the stage of the rulemaking.



NOTICES OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

This section of the *Arizona Administrative Register* contains Notices of Proposed Rulemakings.

A proposed rulemaking is filed by an agency upon completion and submittal of a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening. Often these two documents are filed at the same time and published in the same *Register* issue.

When an agency files a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking under the Administrative Procedure Act (APA), the notice is published in the *Register* within three weeks of filing. See the publication schedule in the back of each issue of the *Register* for more information.

Under the APA, an agency must allow at least 30 days to elapse after the publication of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in the *Register* before beginning any proceedings for making, amending, or repealing any rule (A.R.S. §§ 41-1013 and 41-1022).

The Office of the Secretary of State is the filing office and publisher of these rules. Questions about the interpretation of the proposed rules should be addressed to the agency that promulgated the rules. Refer to item #4 below to contact the person charged with the rulemaking and item #10 for the close of record and information related to public hearings and oral comments.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING TITLE 2. ADMINISTRATION CHAPTER 8. STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD

[R17-13]

PREAMBLE

<u>1.</u>	Article, Part, or Section Affected (as applicable)	Rulemaking Action
	Article 3	New Article
	R2-8-301	New Section
	R2-8-302	New Section
	R2-8-303	New Section
	R2-8-304	New Section
	R2-8-305	New Section
	R2-8-306	New Section

Citations to the agency's statutory rulemaking authority to include the authorizing statute (general) and the implementing statute (specific):

Authorizing statute: A.R.S. § 38-714(E)(4) Implementing statutes: A.R.S. §§ 38-797 et seq.

Citations to all related notices published in the Register as specified in R1-1-409(A) that pertain to the record of the proposed rule:

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 22 A.A.R. 823, April 15, 2016

4. The agency's contact person who can answer questions about the rulemaking:

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5. An agency's justification and reason why a rule should be made, amended, repealed, or renumbered, to include an explanation about the rulemaking:

The ASRS needs to adopt six rules to clarify various aspects of the Long-Term Disability (LTD) program, including the following:

- Definitions relating to the LTD program;
- The LTD benefit calculation and applicable reductions;
- The appeal of a Social Security disability application that has been denied or terminated;
- Calculating and collecting the estimated Social Security disability income amount; and
- Revising and refunding the estimated Social Security disability income amount.

In addition to other processes, the ASRS needs to clarify in rule how the ASRS will provide for LTD benefit adjustments in specific situations, such as when survivor benefits are involved. This rulemaking will clarify how the ASRS calculates LTD benefits, including statutory reductions, and Social Security disability repayments to the ASRS. Also, it will explain how a member or survivor may request a revised Social Security disability amount if the member or survivor believes an error has occurred. These new rules will ensure that members and their survivors are aware of how their benefits may be affected, including how the ASRS may reduce or retain their retirement or survivor benefit disbursements based on the estimated Social Security disability income amount that the ASRS paid to the member as an LTD benefit; the rules will reflect that a member or survivor cannot avoid ASRS collection

of the estimated Social Security disability income amount.

- 6. A reference to any study relevant to the rule that the agency reviewed and proposes either to rely on or not rely on in its evaluation of or justification for the rule, where the public may obtain or review each study, all data underlying each study, and any analysis of each study and other supporting material:
- 7. A showing of good cause why the rulemaking is necessary to promote a statewide interest if the rulemaking will diminish a previous grant of authority of a political subdivision of this state:

 Not applicable
- 8. The preliminary summary of the economic, small business, and consumer impact:

There is little to no economic, small business, or consumer impact, other than the minimal cost to the ASRS to prepare the rule package. The rules will have minimal economic impact, if any, because the rulemaking simply clarifies statutory requirements that already exist. There may be some economic impact to provide the documentation necessary for the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator to determine a member's eligibility for LTD benefits. Clarifying what documentation must be submitted will increase understandability of the LTD program, thereby reducing the regulatory burden imposed on the public. This clarification will ensure that ASRS members have notice about how the ASRS LTD program is administered. Thus, the economic impact is minimized.

9. The agency's contact person who can answer questions about the economic, small business, and consumer impact statement:

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10. The time, place, and nature of the proceedings to make, amend, repeal, or renumber the rule, or if no proceeding is scheduled, where, when, and how persons may request an oral proceeding on the proposed rule:

An oral proceeding regarding the proposed rules will be held as follows:

Date: March 20, 2017 Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: Arizona State Retirement System

10th Floor Board Room 3300 N. Central Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85012-0250

11. All agencies shall list other matters prescribed by statute applicable to the specific agency or to any specific rule or class of rules. Additionally, an agency subject to Council review under A.R.S. §§ 41-1052 and 41-1055 shall respond to the following questions:

None

a. Whether the rule requires a permit, whether a general permit is used and if not, the reasons why a general permit is not used:

None of the rules requires a permit.

b. Whether a federal law is applicable to the subject of the rule, whether the rule is more stringent than federal law, and if so, citation to the statutory authority to exceed the requirements of federal law:

Endered law applies to retirement and grown but no federal law applies to this rule making.

Federal law applies to retirement programs, but no federal law specifically applies to this rulemaking.

- c. Whether a person submitted an analysis to the agency that compares the rule's impact on the competitiveness of business in this state to the impact on business in other states: No analysis was submitted.
- 12. A list of incorporated by reference material as specified in A.R.S. § 41-1028 and its location in the rules:

 None
- 13. The full text of the rules follows:

TITLE 2. ADMINISTRATION CHAPTER 8. STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD

ARTICLE 3. LONG-TERM DISABILITY

<u>Definitions</u>
Application for Long-Term Disability Benefit
Long-Term Disability Calculation
Payment of Long-Term Disability Benefit
Social Security Disability or Long-Term Disability Appeal
Approval of Social Security Disability



ARTICLE 3. LONG-TERM DISABILITY

R2-8-301. Definitions

The following definitions apply to this Article unless otherwise specified:

- 1. "Estimated Social Security disability income amount" means the same as in R2-8-801(2).
- 2. "Legal proceeding" means an appeal of an appealable agency decision at the Office of Administrative Hearings pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1092 et seq. or an appeal of a Social Security determination at the Social Security Administration, or any other review by a formal body, which determines the rights and responsibilities of the member or survivor.
- 3. "LTD" means the Long-Term Disability program described in A.R.S. § 38-797 et seq.
- 4. "LTD contribution" means the amount of funds the member remits to the ASRS from the member's compensation as payment for the LTD program.
- 5. "LTD benefit" means the amount of funds the member receives from the ASRS or the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator, for the period of time a member has an eligible disability as described in A.R.S. § 38-797.07(A)(11).

R2-8-302. Application for Long-Term Disability Benefit

- A. In order to claim an LTD benefit, a disabled member shall submit to the disabled member's Employer all the completed forms prescribed by the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator within 12 months of the date the disabled member became disabled.
- C. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-797.07(D), in order to continue receiving an LTD benefit, a disabled member shall submit documentation regarding the disabled member's ongoing disability and occupation as required by the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator to determine the disabled member's continuing eligibility for an LTD benefit.

R2-8-303. Long-Term Disability Calculation

- A. The ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator shall calculate an LTD benefit for a member using the member's monthly compensation as described in A.R.S. § 38-797(11).
- **B.** The ASRS shall reduce a member's LTD benefit in accordance with A.R.S. § 38-797.07(A).

R2-8-304. Payment of Long-Term Disability Benefit

- **A.** The ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator shall begin providing an LTD benefit to an eligible disabled member no sooner than six months after the date the disabled member became disabled.
- **B.** The ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator may provide an eligible disabled member's LTD benefit to a third party pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-797.09.

R2-8-305. Social Security Disability or Long-Term Disability Appeal

- A. Upon request by the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator, a member who claims an LTD benefit pursuant to R2-8-302(A) shall submit a Social Security disability income application as prescribed by the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator.
- **B.** In order to continue receiving an LTD benefit, a member whose application for Social Security disability income has been denied or terminated must appeal the most recent determination of denial or termination through a hearing before an administrative law judge pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-797.07(A)(10)(a) until the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator or the Social Security Claims Administrator determines the member is not eligible for a Social Security benefit.
- C. Within 10 days after a member receives notice of the status of the member's Social Security disability income application, the member shall notify:
 - 1. The ASRS of the member's application status by submitting a copy of the notice identifying the status of the member's Social Security disability income application to the ASRS, if the member is not receiving an LTD benefit; or
 - The ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator of the member's application status by submitting a copy of the notice identifying the status of the member's Social Security disability income application to the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator, if
 the member is not receiving an LTD benefit.
- D. A member who disagrees with an LTD determination by the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator may submit an appeal pursuant to 2 A.A.C. 8, Article 4.

R2-8-306. Approval of Social Security Disability

Upon receipt of a Social Security disability income benefit, a member shall immediately remit to:

- 1. The ASRS the amount of the Social Security disability income benefit necessary to offset the LTD benefit; or
- The ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator the amount of the Social Security disability income benefit necessary to offset the LTD benefit.



NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING TITLE 2. ADMINISTRATION CHAPTER 8. STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD

[R17-14]

PREAMBLE

<u>1.</u>	Article, Part, or Section Affected (as applicable)	Rulemaking Action
	Article 8	New Article
	R2-8-801	New Section
	R2-8-802	New Section
	R2-8-803	New Section
	R2-8-804	New Section
	R2-8-805	New Section
	R2-8-806	New Section
	R2-8-807	New Section
	R2-8-808	New Section
	R2-8-809	New Section
	R2-8-810	New Section

Citations to the agency's statutory rulemaking authority to include the authorizing statute (general) and the implementing statute (specific):

Authorizing statute: A.R.S. § 38-714(E)(4)

Implementing statutes: A.R.S. §§ 38-723, 38-724, 38-765

Citations to all related notices published in the Register as specified in R1-1-409(A) that pertain to the record of the proposed rule:

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 22 A.A.R. 2082, August 12, 2016

4. The agency's contact person who can answer questions about the rulemaking:

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5. An agency's justification and reason why a rule should be made, amended, repealed, or renumbered, to include an explanation about the rulemaking:

The ASRS needs to adopt approximately ten rules to clarify various aspects of how the ASRS recovers overpayments made to or on behalf of members and employers, including the following:

- Definitions relating to how the ASRS recovers overpayments;
- Forms relating to the collection of overpayments;
- Various collection methods for any overpayments by the ASRS;
- Collection of any overpayments by the Attorney General; and
- Collection of any overpayments by the Department of Revenue.

Specifically, the ASRS needs to clarify the various methods it may use to collect an outstanding overpayment amount.

6. A reference to any study relevant to the rule that the agency reviewed and proposes either to rely on or not rely on in its evaluation of or justification for the rule, where the public may obtain or review each study, all data underlying each study, and any analysis of each study and other supporting material:

None

7. A showing of good cause why the rulemaking is necessary to promote a statewide interest if the rulemaking will diminish a previous grant of authority of a political subdivision of this state:

Not applicable

8. The preliminary summary of the economic, small business, and consumer impact:

There is little to no economic, small business, or consumer impact, other than the minimal cost to the ASRS to prepare the rule package. The rules will have minimal economic impact, if any, because the rulemaking simply clarifies statutory requirements that already exist. Clarifying how the ASRS may collect an outstanding overpayment amount is various situations, will increase understandability of the statutory requirements in A.R.S. § 38-765, thereby reducing the regulatory burden imposed on the public. This clarification will ensure that ASRS members have notice about how their benefits may be affected by an outstanding overpayment and how the ASRS will collect an overpayment amount. Thus, the economic impact is minimized.

9. The agency's contact person who can answer questions about the economic, small business, and consumer impact statement:

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10. The time, place, and nature of the proceedings to make, amend, repeal, or renumber the rule, or if no proceeding is scheduled, where, when, and how persons may request an oral proceeding on the proposed rule:

An oral proceeding regarding the proposed rule will be held as follows:

March 21, 2017 Date: Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: Arizona State Retirement System

10th Floor Board Room 3300 N. Central Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85012-0250

11. All agencies shall list other matters prescribed by statute applicable to the specific agency or to any specific rule or class of rules. Additionally, an agency subject to Council review under A.R.S. §§ 41-1052 and 41-1055 shall respond to the following questions:

Whether the rule requires a permit, whether a general permit is used and if not, the reasons why a general permit is not used:

None of the rules requires a permit.

b. Whether a federal law is applicable to the subject of the rule, whether the rule is more stringent than federal law, and if so, citation to the statutory authority to exceed the requirements of federal law:

Federal law applies to retirement programs, but no federal law specifically applies to this rulemaking.

c. Whether a person submitted an analysis to the agency that compares the rule's impact on the competitiveness of business in this state to the impact on business in other states:

No analysis was submitted.

12. A list of incorporated by reference material as specified in A.R.S. § 41-1028 and its location in the rules:

13. The full text of the rules follows:

TITLE 2. ADMINISTRATION

CHAPTER 8. STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD

ARTICLE 8. RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS

R2-8-801.	<u>Definitions</u>
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ARTICLE 8. RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENTS

R2-8-801. **Definitions**

Section

For purposes of this article, the following definitions apply, unless specified otherwise:

- "DRO" means the same as in R2-8-120.
- "Estimated Social Security disability income amount" and "Revised Social Security disability income amount" mean the amount of funds the ASRS is entitled to collect pursuant to R2-8-802.
- "LTD" means long-term disability program as described in A.R.S. § 38-797 et seq.
- "LTD benefit" means the same as in R2-8-301
- "Overpayment" means:
 - Any funds the ASRS distributes in excess of the amount to which the recipient is legally entitled; and
 - Any estimated social security disability income amount or revised social security disability income amount the ASRS is entitled to collect pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-765.

R2-8-802. Estimated Social Security Disability Income Amount and Revised Social Security Disability Income Amount

- A. The ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator shall determine a member's estimated Social Security disability income amount as follows:
 - Prior to the death, retirement, or forfeiture of a member, the estimated Social Security disability income amount shall be equal to the member's full monthly LTD benefit reduced by \$50 per month pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-797.07(A)(9); and
 - Upon the member's death, retirement, or forfeiture, the estimated Social Security disability income amount shall be equal to the total amount of the member's LTD benefit, reduced by \$50 per month pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-797.07(A)(9).
- B. A member or survivor who disputes the estimated Social Security disability income amount based on the conclusions of a legal proceeding may request a revised Social Security disability income amount by submitting supporting documentation from the legal proceeding to the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator within 30 days of the date of conclusion of the legal proceeding.
- C. Pursuant to subsection (B), the ASRS or the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator shall determine whether the estimated Social Security disability income amount needs to be revised based on the conclusions of the legal proceeding.
- D. If the ASRS or the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator determines the estimated Social Security disability income amount was inaccurate, the ASRS or the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator shall calculate a revised Social Security disability income amount based on the supporting documentation provided by the member or survivor pursuant to subsection (B).
- Pursuant to subsection (B), if the revised Social Security disability amount is less than the amount of the estimated Social Security disability benefit, the ASRS or the ASRS contracted LTD claims administrator shall:
 - Refund a portion of the amount of the estimated Social Security disability benefit that the ASRS retained upon forfeiture of the member in order to offset the difference between the estimated Social Security disability income amount and the revised Social Security disability income amount, or
 - Adjust the member's retirement benefits or the survivor's benefits to offset the difference between the estimated Social Security disability income amount and the revised Social Security disability income amount.
- If a member or survivor is not satisfied with the determination on the request for a revised Social Security disability income amount, the member or survivor may appeal the determination pursuant to 2 A.A.C. 8, Article 4.

Reimbursement of Overpayments

- A. Upon the ASRS discovering that it has made an overpayment to a member, survivor, or alternate payee, the ASRS shall send a letter to notify the necessary person that an overpayment was provided and the person shall reimburse the ASRS in the amount of the over-
- **B.** A person who reimburses the ASRS for an overpayment shall do so by remitting a check, made payable to the ASRS, by the due date specified in the letter providing notice of the overpayment.
- C. If the ASRS is unable to collect the amount of an overpayment by reducing future payments to members, survivors, or alternate payees as provided in this Article, the ASRS shall allow the appropriate person to reimburse the ASRS for the amount of the overpayment by making payments over the course of as many months as the number of months in which an overpayment was made by the ASRS, not to exceed 36 months.
- **D.** A person may request to reimburse the amount of the overpayment to the ASRS sooner than provided in this Article.

Collection of Overpayments from Forfeiture

- Unless a member cancels a forfeiture request by submitting written notice to the ASRS within 30 days of the request to forfeit, the ASRS shall reduce a member's refund amount in order to offset the member's overpayment amount pursuant to subsection (B).
- The ASRS shall reduce the member's refund amount by the amount of any overpayment and the ASRS shall:
 - Pursue collection of any remaining overpayment amount pursuant to this Article; and
 - 2. Distribute the remaining refund amount to the member pursuant to R2-8-115.

Collection of Overpayments from Retirement Benefit

- A. Upon retirement, the ASRS shall reduce the amount of a member's retirement benefit by the amount of any overpayments that have not been reimbursed to the ASRS, pursuant to R2-8-803 as follows:
 - If the member elects to receive a lump sum or partial lump sum benefit, the amount of the lump sum or partial lump sum shall be reduced by the amount of the overpayment to no less than \$5.00 and the ASRS shall pursue overpayment collections for any remaining overpayment amount pursuant to this Article;
 - If the member elects to receive retirement benefits as a monthly annuity and the amount of the overpayment is equal to or less than the amount of the member's first annuity disbursement minus \$5.00, the ASRS shall reduce the amount of the first annuity disbursement by the amount of any overpayment to no less than \$5.00;
 - If the member elects to receive retirement benefits as a monthly annuity and the amount of the overpayment exceeds the amount of the member's first annuity disbursement plus \$5.00, the ASRS shall reduce the amount of the first annuity disbursement by the amount of the overpayment to no less than \$5.00 and pursue collection pursuant to subsection (B).
- B. The ASRS shall reduce a member's or alternate payee's monthly annuity as follows in order to offset any overpayments which have not been reimbursed or collected pursuant to this Article:
 - The ASRS shall reduce the member's monthly annuity by up to 10% for 36 months, if the amount of the overpayment can be collected by the ASRS within that time.
 - If the amount of the overpayment cannot be collected pursuant to subsection (B)(1), the ASRS will notify the member that the member must make payment arrangements within 60 days of the date on the notice. If the member does not make payment arrangements within 60 days of the date on the notice, the ASRS shall actuarially reduce the amount of the member's monthly
- C. Notwithstanding subsection (B), the ASRS shall not reduce a member's or alternate payee's monthly annuity by an estimated Social Security disability income amount while the member is pursuing a Social Security disability income determination pursuant to R2-8-



305, if the member submits documentation to the ASRS every six months informing the ASRS of the status of the member's Social Security disability income request until a determination is made regarding the amount of Social Security disability income.

R2-8-806. Collection of Overpayments from Survivor Benefit

- **A.** If a member, survivor, or alternate payee does not repay the amount of an overpayment pursuant to this Article, the ASRS shall reduce the necessary person's amount of benefits pursuant to subsection (B).
- **B.** The ASRS shall collect the amount of any remaining overpayment by actuarially reducing the necessary person's monthly annuity over the same number of months in which the overpayment was made, up to 3 months for each month an overpayment was made by the ASRS.
- C. If the ASRS is unable to collect the amount of any overpayment pursuant to subsection (B), the ASRS shall pursue collection of any remaining overpayment amount pursuant to this Article.
- D. Notwithstanding subsection (B), the ASRS shall not reduce a survivor's monthly annuity by an estimated Social Security disability income amount while the survivor is pursuing a Social Security disability income determination on behalf of the member pursuant to R2-8-305, if the survivor submits documentation to the ASRS every six months informing the ASRS of the status of the member's Social Security disability income request until a determination is made regarding the amount of Social Security disability income to which the member was entitled.

R2-8-807. Collection of Overpayments from LTD Benefit

Upon disability of the member, the ASRS shall reduce the amount of the disabled member's LTD benefit by the amount of any overpayment the member received from the ASRS and has not reimbursed pursuant to this section to not less than \$50.00.

R2-8-808. Collection of Overpayments by the Arizona Attorney General

If a member does not reimburse the ASRS for an overpayment pursuant to R2-8-802, the ASRS may submit the overpayment amount for collection by the Arizona Attorney General's Office.

R2-8-809. Collection of Overpayments by the Arizona Department of Revenue

If a member does not reimburse the ASRS for an overpayment pursuant to R2-8-802, the ASRS may submit the overpayment amount for collection by the Arizona Department of Revenue.

R2-8-810. Collection of Overpayments by Garnishment or Levy

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-723, the ASRS may collect the amount of any overpayment that has not been reimbursed or collected pursuant to this article by garnishing wages and/or placing a levy on the appropriate person's bank account.



NOTICES OF EXPIRATION OF RULES UNDER A.R.S. § 41-1056(J)

This section of the *Arizona Administrative Register* contains Notices of Expiration of Rules. Under A.R.S. § 41-1056(J), if an agency does not file a five-year rule review report with the Governor's Regulatory Review Council (including a revised report); or if an agency does not file an extension before the due date of the report; or if an agency files an extension but does not submit a report

within the extension period; the rules scheduled for review expire.

The Council is required to notify the Secretary of State that the rules have expired and are no longer enforceable. The notice is published in the *Register*, and the rules are removed from the *Code*.

GOVERNOR'S REGULATORY REVIEW COUNCIL

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RULES UNDER A.R.S. § 41-1056(J)

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION RISK MANAGEMENT DIVISION

[R17-18]

1. Agency name: Department of Administration

2. **Title and its heading:** 2, Administration

3. Chapter and its heading: 10, Department of Administration - Risk Management Division

4. Articles and their headings: 5, Environmental Losses

5. As required by A.R.S. § 41-1056(J), the Council provides notice that the following rule expired as of January 11, 2017:

R2-10-504. Loss Prevention

6. Signature is of Nicole A. Ong

Date of Signing Feb. 2, 2017

Nicole A. Ong

/s/

G.R.R.C. Chairwoman



NOTICES OF AGENCY OMBUDSMAN

The Administrative Procedure Act requires the publication of Notices of Agency Ombudsman. Agencies shall publish annually in the *Register* the name or names of those employees who are designated by the agency to

assist members of the public or regulated community in seeking information or assistance from the agency. (A.R.S. § 41-1006)

NOTICE OF AGENCY OMBUDSMAN ARIZONA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT

[M17-13]

1. The agency name:

Arizona Game and Fish Commission

2. The ombudsman's:

- a. Name: Kevin Kinsall, Agency Ombudsman
- **<u>b.</u>** Title: Natural Resources Intergovernmental Coordinator; and
- c. Name: Irene Guzman
- d. Title: Office Manager, Director's Office

3. The ombudsman's office address to include the city, state, and zip code:

5000 W. Carefree Highway, DOHQ

Phoenix, AZ 85086

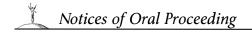
4. The ombudsman's area code and telephone number, fax number, and email address, if available:

Telephone: (623) 236-7281 Kevin Kinsall

(623) 236-7283 Irene Guzman

Fax: (623) 236-7299 E-mail: KKinsall@azgfd.gov

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NOTICES OF ORAL PROCEEDING

If an agency schedules an oral proceeding, a public workshop, or another type of meeting on a proposed rulemaking, a rulemaking docket opening, or a proposed delegation agreement, the agency shall prepare a Notice of Oral Proceeding, a Notice of Public Workshop, or Notice of Meeting (specifying the type of meeting) for publication in the *Register*.

NOTICE OF ORAL PROCEEDING ON PROPOSED RULEMAKING

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION BENEFIT SERVICES DIVISION

[M17-12]

1. Name of the agency: Department of Administration

<u>Title and its heading:</u> 2, Administration

<u>Chapter and its heading:</u>
6, Department of Administration - Benefit Services Division

<u>3.</u>	Article, Part, or Section (as applicable) being proposed	Rulemaking Action
	R2-6-101	Amend
	R2-6-105	Amend
	R2-6-106	Amend
	R2-6-107	Amend
	R2-6-108	Amend
	R2-6-204	Amend
	R2-6-301	Amend
	R2-6-302	Amend
	R2-6-303	Amend

4. Citations to all notices published in the Register concerning the proposed rulemaking:

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 23 A.A.R. 415, February 10, 2017

Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 23 A.A.R. 323, February 10, 2017

5. The date, time, and location of the oral proceeding:

The Department has scheduled the following oral proceeding:

Date and time: Monday, April 3, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Location: Arizona Department of Administration

1st Floor Conference Room 100 N. 15th Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85007

Close of record: Monday, April 3, 2017

A person may submit written comments on the proposed rules no later than the close of record to either of the individuals listed in items 4 and 9.

A person with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Kayla Stivason at Kayla.Stivason@azdoa.gov or (602) 364-0803. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

6. The name and address of agency personnel to whom questions and comments on the proposed rules may be addressed:

Name: Kayla Stivason

Address: Department of Administration

Benefit Services Division 100 N. 15th Ave., Suite 260 Phoenix, AZ 85007

Telephone: (602) 364-0803



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PM = Proposed amended Section
PR = Proposed repealed Section
P# = Proposed renumbered Section

SUPPLEMENTAL PROPOSED RULEMAKING

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SPM = Supplemental proposed amended Section
SPR = Supplemental proposed repealed Section
SP# = Supplemental proposed renumbered Section

FINAL RULEMAKING

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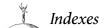
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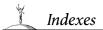
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RULE EFFECTIVE DATES CALENDAR

A.R.S. § 41-1032(A), as amended by Laws 2002, Ch. 334, § 8 (effective August 22, 2002), states that a rule generally becomes effective 60 days after the day it is filed with the Secretary of State's Office. The following table lists filing dates and effective dates for rules that follow this provision. Please also check the rulemaking Preamble for effective dates.

January		February		March		April		May		June	
Date Filed	Effective Date										
1/1	3/2	2/1	4/2	3/1	4/30	4/1	5/31	5/1	6/30	6/1	7/31
1/2	3/3	2/2	4/3	3/2	5/1	4/2	6/1	5/2	7/1	6/2	8/1
1/3	3/4	2/3	4/4	3/3	5/2	4/3	6/2	5/3	7/2	6/3	8/2
1/4	3/5	2/4	4/5	3/4	5/3	4/4	6/3	5/4	7/3	6/4	8/3
1/5	3/6	2/5	4/6	3/5	5/4	4/5	6/4	5/5	7/4	6/5	8/4
1/6	3/7	2/6	4/7	3/6	5/5	4/6	6/5	5/6	7/5	6/6	8/5
1/7	3/8	2/7	4/8	3/7	5/6	4/7	6/6	5/7	7/6	6/7	8/6
1/8	3/9	2/8	4/9	3/8	5/7	4/8	6/7	5/8	7/7	6/8	8/7
1/9	3/10	2/9	4/10	3/9	5/8	4/9	6/8	5/9	7/8	6/9	8/8
1/10	3/11	2/10	4/11	3/10	5/9	4/10	6/9	5/10	7/9	6/10	8/9
1/11	3/12	2/11	4/12	3/11	5/10	4/11	6/10	5/11	7/10	6/11	8/10
1/12	3/13	2/12	4/13	3/12	5/11	4/12	6/11	5/12	7/11	6/12	8/11
1/13	3/14	2/13	4/14	3/13	5/12	4/13	6/12	5/13	7/12	6/13	8/12
1/14	3/15	2/14	4/15	3/14	5/13	4/14	6/13	5/14	7/13	6/14	8/13
1/15	3/16	2/15	4/16	3/15	5/14	4/15	6/14	5/15	7/14	6/15	8/14
1/16	3/17	2/16	4/17	3/16	5/15	4/16	6/15	5/16	7/15	6/16	8/15
1/17	3/18	2/17	4/18	3/17	5/16	4/17	6/16	5/17	7/16	6/17	8/16
1/18	3/19	2/18	4/19	3/18	5/17	4/18	6/17	5/18	7/17	6/18	8/17
1/19	3/20	2/19	4/20	3/19	5/18	4/19	6/18	5/19	7/18	6/19	8/18
1/20	3/21	2/20	4/21	3/20	5/19	4/20	6/19	5/20	7/19	6/20	8/19
1/21	3/22	2/21	4/22	3/21	5/20	4/21	6/20	5/21	7/20	6/21	8/20
1/22	3/23	2/22	4/23	3/22	5/21	4/22	6/21	5/22	7/21	6/22	8/21
1/23	3/24	2/23	4/24	3/23	5/22	4/23	6/22	5/23	7/22	6/23	8/22
1/24	3/25	2/24	4/25	3/24	5/23	4/24	6/23	5/24	7/23	6/24	8/23
1/25	3/26	2/25	4/26	3/25	5/24	4/25	6/24	5/25	7/24	6/25	8/24
1/26	3/27	2/26	4/27	3/26	5/25	4/26	6/25	5/26	7/25	6/26	8/25
1/27	3/28	2/27	4/28	3/27	5/26	4/27	6/26	5/27	7/26	6/27	8/26
1/28	3/29	2/28	4/29	3/28	5/27	4/28	6/27	5/28	7/27	6/28	8/27
1/29	3/30		•	3/29	5/28	4/29	6/28	5/29	7/28	6/29	8/28
1/30	3/31			3/30	5/29	4/30	6/29	5/30	7/29	6/30	8/29
1/31	4/1			3/31	5/30			5/31	7/30		



July		August		September		October		November		December	
Date Filed	Effective Date										
7/1	8/30	8/1	9/30	9/1	10/31	10/1	11/30	11/1	12/31	12/1	1/30
7/2	8/31	8/2	10/1	9/2	11/1	10/2	12/1	11/2	1/1	12/2	1/31
7/3	9/1	8/3	10/2	9/3	11/2	10/3	12/2	11/3	1/2	12/3	2/1
7/4	9/2	8/4	10/3	9/4	11/3	10/4	12/3	11/4	1/3	12/4	2/2
7/5	9/3	8/5	10/4	9/5	11/4	10/5	12/4	11/5	1/4	12/5	2/3
7/6	9/4	8/6	10/5	9/6	11/5	10/6	12/5	11/6	1/5	12/6	2/4
7/7	9/5	8/7	10/6	9/7	11/6	10/7	12/6	11/7	1/6	12/7	2/5
7/8	9/6	8/8	10/7	9/8	11/7	10/8	12/7	11/8	1/7	12/8	2/6
7/9	9/7	8/9	10/8	9/9	11/8	10/9	12/8	11/9	1/8	12/9	2/7
7/10	9/8	8/10	10/9	9/10	11/9	10/10	12/9	11/10	1/9	12/10	2/8
7/11	9/9	8/11	10/10	9/11	11/10	10/11	12/10	11/11	1/10	12/11	2/9
7/12	9/10	8/12	10/11	9/12	11/11	10/12	12/11	11/12	1/11	12/12	2/10
7/13	9/11	8/13	10/12	9/13	11/12	10/13	12/12	11/13	1/12	12/13	2/11
7/14	9/12	8/14	10/13	9/14	11/13	10/14	12/13	11/14	1/13	12/14	2/12
7/15	9/13	8/15	10/14	9/15	11/14	10/15	12/14	11/15	1/14	12/15	2/13
7/16	9/14	8/16	10/15	9/16	11/15	10/16	12/15	11/16	1/15	12/16	2/14
7/17	9/15	8/17	10/16	9/17	11/16	10/17	12/16	11/17	1/16	12/17	2/15
7/18	9/16	8/18	10/17	9/18	11/17	10/18	12/17	11/18	1/17	12/18	2/16
7/19	9/17	8/19	10/18	9/19	11/18	10/19	12/18	11/19	1/18	12/19	2/17
7/20	9/18	8/20	10/19	9/20	11/19	10/20	12/19	11/20	1/19	12/20	2/18
7/21	9/19	8/21	10/20	9/21	11/20	10/21	12/20	11/21	1/20	12/21	2/19
7/22	9/20	8/22	10/21	9/22	11/21	10/22	12/21	11/22	1/21	12/22	2/20
7/23	9/21	8/23	10/22	9/23	11/22	10/23	12/22	11/23	1/22	12/23	2/21
7/24	9/22	8/24	10/23	9/24	11/23	10/24	12/23	11/24	1/23	12/24	2/22
7/25	9/23	8/25	10/24	9/25	11/24	10/25	12/24	11/25	1/24	12/25	2/23
7/26	9/24	8/26	10/25	9/26	11/25	10/26	12/25	11/26	1/25	12/26	2/24
7/27	9/25	8/27	10/26	9/27	11/26	10/27	12/26	11/27	1/26	12/27	2/25
7/28	9/26	8/28	10/27	9/28	11/27	10/28	12/27	11/28	1/27	12/28	2/26
7/29	9/27	8/29	10/28	9/29	11/28	10/29	12/28	11/29	1/28	12/29	2/27
7/30	9/28	8/30	10/29	9/30	11/29	10/30	12/29	11/30	1/29	12/30	2/28
7/31	9/29	8/31	10/30			10/31	12/30			12/31	3/1



REGISTER PUBLISHING DEADLINES

The Secretary of State's Office publishes the Register weekly. There is a three-week turnaround period between a deadline date and the publication date of the Register. The weekly deadline dates and issue dates are shown below. Council meetings and Register deadlines do not correlate. Also listed are the earliest dates on which an oral proceeding can be held on proposed rulemakings or proposed delegation agreements following publication of the notice in the Register.

Deadline Date (paper only) Friday, 5:00 p.m.	Register Publication Date	Oral Proceeding may be scheduled on or after
October 14, 2016	November 4, 2016	December 5, 2016
October 21, 2016	November 11, 2016	December 12, 2016
October 28, 2016	November 18, 2016	December 19, 2016
November 4, 2016	November 25, 2016	December 26, 2016
November 11, 2016	December 2, 2016	January 2, 2017
November 18, 2016	December 9, 2016	January 9, 2017
November 25, 2016	December 16, 2016	January 16, 2017
December 2, 2016	December 23, 2016	January 23, 2017
December 9, 2016	December 30, 2016	January 30, 2017
December 16, 2016	January 6, 2017	February 6, 2017
December 23, 2016	January 13, 2017	February 13, 2017
December 30, 2016	January 20, 2017	February 20, 2017
January 6, 2017	January 27, 2017	February 27, 2017
January 13, 2017	February 3, 2017	March 6, 2017
January 20, 2017	February 10, 2017	March 13, 2017
January 27, 2017	February 17, 2017	March 20, 2017
February 3, 2017	February 24, 2017	March 27, 2017
February 10, 2017	March 3, 2017	April 3, 2017
February 17, 2017	March 10, 2017	April 10, 2017
February 24, 2017	March 17, 2017	April 17, 2017
March 3, 2017	March 24, 2017	April 24, 2017
March 10, 2017	March 31, 2017	May 1, 2017
March 17, 2017	April 7, 2017	May 8, 2017
March 24, 2017	April 14, 2017	May 15, 2017
March 31, 2017	April 21, 2017	May 22, 2017
April 7, 2017	April 28, 2017	May 30, 2017
April 14, 2017	May 5, 2017	June 5, 2017
April 21, 2017	May 12, 2017	June 12, 2017



GOVERNOR'S REGULATORY REVIEW COUNCIL DEADLINES

The following deadlines apply to all Five-Year-Review Reports and any adopted rule submitted to the Governor's Regulatory Review Council. Council meetings and *Register* deadlines do not correlate. We publish these deadlines as a courtesy.

All rules and Five-Year Review Reports are due in the Council office by 5 p.m. of the deadline date. The Council's office is located at 100 N. 15th Ave., Suite 402, Phoenix, AZ 85007. For more information, call (602) 542-2058 or visit www.grrc.state.az.us.

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Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Wednesday
November 22, 2016	December 20, 2016	December 28, 2016	January 4, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
December 27, 2016	January 24, 2017	January 31, 2017	February 7, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
January 24, 2017	February 21, 2017	February 28, 2017	March 7, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
February 21, 2017	March 21, 2017	March 28, 2017	April 4, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
March 21, 2017	April 18, 2017	April 25, 2017	May 2, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Tuesday
April 25, 2017	May 23, 2017	May 31, 2017	June 6, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Thursday
May 23, 2017	June 20, 2017	June 27, 2017	July 6, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
June 20, 2017	July 18, 2017	July 25, 2017	August 1, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday
July 25, 2017	August 22, 2017	August 29, 2017	September 6, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
August 22, 2017	September 19, 2017	September 26, 2017	October 3, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
September 26, 2017	October 24, 2017	October 31, 2017	November 7, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
October 24, 2017	November 21, 2017	November 28, 2017	December 5, 2017
Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Wednesday
November 21, 2017	December 19, 2017	December 27, 2017	January 3, 2018

^{*}Materials must be submitted by **5 P.M.** on dates listed as a deadline for placement on a particular agenda. Placement on a particular agenda is not guaranteed.